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TUESDAY, JANUARY 18

Bristol, Tenn., Jitney Company is to quit business. Twenty-cent gasoline is too much for five-cent fares.

Thomas Evans, one of the Americans massacred in Mexico, was a member of the football team of Sewanee University, in 1909.

Mrs. Jennie Pretty, an aged widow, stunned by a fall, lay in the rear of her home in Louisville Thursday night and was frozen to death.

A part of our \$400,000 of bond money will be used to give a section of the Dixie Bee Line Highway from Nortonville to Trenton that will be worthy of the name.

A woman bootlegger was caught in West Virginia with a dozen pints of whiskey suspended by strings under her clothes. She must have had on old fashioned clothes or she could not have concealed that much.—Elizabethtown News.

A verdict of not guilty was returned at Joplin, Mo., in the case of the newspaper Menace and four of its officials, charged with the misuse of the mails in circulating obscene matter. The Menace is an anti-Catholic sheet published at Aurora, Mo.

One student was killed and six others were injured in the annual bowl fight between the freshmen and sophomore classes of the University of Pennsylvania, which was won by the first year men. William Lifson, 17 years old, of Elizabeth, N. J., lost his life.

Copies of correspondence seized from Capt. Franz Von Papen recalled German military attaché at Washington, which he reached Falmouth on his way to Germany, have been turned over to the American embassy for transmission to the state department. They show that Capt. Von Papen made frequent payments to persons charged with the responsibility of blowing up munitions works and bridges in the United States.

Good business, plenty of money, high prices, activity in industry, improved collections, increased wages, cold weather, anticipations of extraordinary activity the coming spring and scarcity of numerous kinds of materials, feature Broadstreet's New York reports last week. Sales of dry goods for future delivery are exceptionally heavy, perhaps the heaviest noted at this season for three years back and fears of deficient supplies from mills, already backward in making deliveries, are very general.

#### School Epidemics.

Science now tells us that the most dangerous time for the spreading of some of the infectious diseases is just before the child feels that he is ill; that is, when he begins to feel a little sore throat and has a discharge from the nose. At this time the germs are most numerous and most active. The modern method of handling an epidemic places the burden of responsibility upon the school nurse or school physician. There is much less danger of spreading the disease with the children under supervision in the school room than when they are running at will in the streets. By careful examination the school nurse can recognize the approach of the disease much earlier than can the parents. During epidemics it is wise to keep children away from Sunday school and moving picture shows, but in general it is much safer to keep them in day school under the supervision of physicians or nurse inspectors.—From The Nurse.

## TO PACK POULTRY

Specialists Urge Unusual Care in Preparing Fowls.

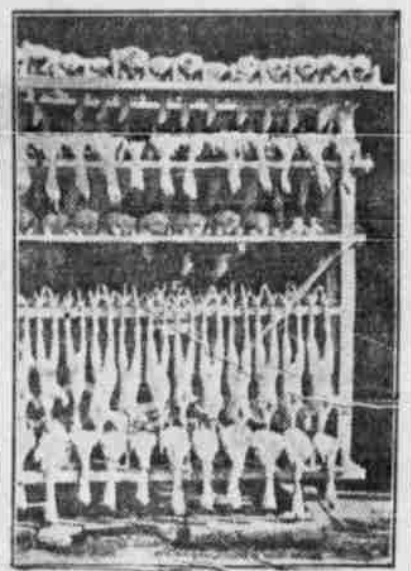
Methods Recommended Which Are Essential to Perfect Product at Any Time, Especially When Weather is Unfavorable.

Poultry packers are urged by the specialists of the United States department of agriculture to give unusual attention to preparing and packing their birds for shipment, particularly if the mild weather, which has been widely prevalent this autumn, continues. The poultry specialists say that the weather conditions in many sections have been very similar to those which prevailed in the autumn of 1913 and which, as poultry shippers will remember, proved disastrous to all packers who did not dress, chill and pack properly.

The specialists, therefore, recommend the particular observance of the following methods of handling dressed poultry, which are essential to a perfect product at any time and are of vital importance whenever weather conditions are unfavorable:

#### Methods of Handling Dressed Poultry.

1. Keep the holding batteries for your incoming stock clean, well aired, and free from vermin, and see that the chickens have plenty of fresh water and plenty to eat.
2. Don't kill a chicken when the crop is full of feed. Give the chicken only water for 24 hours before it is killed. Food in the crop or in the intestines of a dressed chicken causes loss of flavor and hastens decay, which more than offsets any gain from extra weight.
3. Good bleeding is absolutely essential to a good appearance on the market and retards decay. Circular 61, bureau of chemistry, department of agriculture, explains the best methods of bleeding and loosening the feather muscles for dry picking.
4. Hang the chicken by both feet while picking. Hanging by one leg spoils the shape of the bird. Picking



Rack for Squatted and Hanging Dressed Poultry.

On the lap gets the skin dirty and hastens decay.

5. Dry pick if possible. Scalding is particularly undesirable because it hastens decay.

6. Chill every dressed bird until the body temperature is below 35 degrees F. Never pack or ship an imperfectly chilled bird. More decay is due to imperfect chilling than to any other single factor in dressing. Dry chill, if possible. Chickens cooled in water lose flavor, decay sooner, will not cold-store as satisfactorily as dry-chilled, and are in every way more undesirable on the market. Refrigerator cars will carry well-chilled goods in good condition, but they cannot chill warm goods to a sufficiently low temperature.

7. Pack in boxes or small kegs whenever possible. A large barrel makes an undesirable package, because where poultry is packed in large masses the weight of the upper layers crushes the birds at the bottom.

8. Line all packages with parchment paper and cover the top of the poultry before the lid is put on.

9. Wrap every head in suitable paper so that blood from one bird will not mar the appearance of another.

10. Use only good refrigerator cars and see that they are in good order. Ice and salt the car 24 hours before loading. The car, at the end of 24 hours should show a temperature below 40 degrees F. at a point four feet above the floor and between the doors.

General Suggestions.

Never handle chickens roughly, either before or after killing. Rough handling causes bruises, broken bones, scarred skins, and soft places in the flesh. Undue haste on the part of the killers and pickers results in lowered keeping quality and poor appearance of the product.

Piecework, which leads to quantity rather than quality, makes for lower prices on the market. Those who pay by the piece should remember that they sell by the quality of the piece.

These directions will apply with equal force to turkeys intended for the market.

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